

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/599,876
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Title: Method for Manufacturing a Circular Metal Tank
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Art Unit: 3725

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of Dec01.2009 ("OA2" herein), Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments to the specification and claims be entered and that the following arguments be given consideration.

Amendments to the Specification: begin on page 2;

Amendments to Claims: begin on page 9;

Listing of Claims: begins on page 10;

Remarks: begin on page 16.